

Tract No. R-178 (A-5)

Affidavit

State of Alabama)
Shelby County.....)

Before me, the undersigned authority, J H Culver, a N P & Ex Off J.P. personally appeared J. F. Edwards, who deposes and says that he knows the land described as follows:

The Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter and Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter and the east one half of the south west quarter of Section twenty seven, Township twenty one Range 2 West, Shelby County, Alabama, and that Tom Dunham, a Negor owned this land more than 25 years prior to this daye September 29th 1938 and that Tom Dunham was in open undisputed and notorious possession of this land, And that Tom Dunham farmed said land and has said lands under fence, that he exercised all evidence of ownership, and to my own knowledge he owned the above described lands, and about 1930 or 1931 he mortgaged these lands to the Holcombe Mercantile Company and as far as I know he never paid off any of the mortgage debt. Also that Tom Dunham was a near neighbor of mine and worked for me off and on for 25 years or more doing odd jobs, and I was well acquainted with Tom Dunham and his lands, And no one in the last 25 years has ever claimed any part of the lands described above execept Tom Dunham.

Given under my hand and seal this 29th day of September, 1938.

J. F. Edwards

Witness: J O Anderson
L Pointer

State of Alabama,
Shelby County.)

Before me a Notary Public in and for said County in said State appeared J F Edwards who is known to me and admitted before me that he signed the contents of the above affidavit of his own free will and accord.

This the 29th day of September, 1938.

J H Culver,
Notary Public & Ex. Off J.P.

Filed for record in this office -October 4th 1938 at 8 AM and recorded in deed record 105, page 255 and examined L. C. Walker, Judge of Probate.